

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY**

**MICHAEL PRYOR and KAREN PRYOR,**

Plaintiffs,

Case No. 3:21-cv-00118-BRM-LHG

v.

Civil Action

**AVON PRODUCTS, INC.;**

Transferred from the Superior Court of New Jersey, Law Division, Middlesex County

**BARRETT'S MINERALS INC.;**

Docket No.: MID-L-000022-21AS

**BAYER CONSUMER CARE HOLDINGS LLC f/k/a BAYER CONSUMER CARE LLC f/k/a MSD CONSUMER CARE, INC.);**

**BAYER HEALTHCARE LLC**, a subsidiary of BAYER AG;

**BLOCK DRUG COMPANY, INC.** (sued individually and as successor-in-interest to THE GOLD BOND STERILIZING POWDER COMPANY a/k/a THE GOLD BOND COMPANY);

**CONSENT ORDER TO REMAND**

**BLOCK DRUG CORPORATION** (sued individually and as successor-in-interest to THE GOLD BOND STERILIZING POWDER COMPANY a/k/a THE GOLD BOND COMPANY);

**BRENNETAG NORTH AMERICA, INC.** (sued individually and as successor-in-interest to MINERAL PIGMENT SOLUTIONS, INC. and as successor-in-interest to WHITTAKER CLARK & DANIELS, INC.);

**BRENNETAG SPECIALTIES, INC.** f/k/a MINERAL PIGMENT SOLUTIONS, INC. (sued individually and as successor-in-interest to WHITTAKER CLARK & DANIELS, INC.);

**CHARLES B. CHRYSSTAL COMPANY, INC.;**

**CHATTEM, INC.** (sued individually and as successor-in-interest to **BLOCK DRUG CORPORATION**, successor-in-interest to **THE GOLD BOND STERILIZING POWDER COMPANY** a/k/a **THE GOLD BOND COMPANY**);

**CLINIQUE LABORATORIES, INC.**, a subsidiary of **THE ESTÉE LAUDER COMPANIES INC.**;

**CLINIQUE LABORATORIES, LLC**, a subsidiary of **THE ESTÉE LAUDER COMPANIES INC.**;

**COLOR TECHNIQUES, INC.**;

**COSMETIC SPECIALTIES, INC.** (sued individually and formerly d/b/a **G&G SPECIALTY PRODUCTS CO.**);

**COTY, INC.** and its subsidiary **NOXELL CORPORATION**, for its **CoverGirl** line of products, and d/b/a **RIMMEL LONDON** and **RIMMEL INC.**, for its **Rimmel London** line of products;

**CYPRUS AMAX MINERALS COMPANY** (sued individually, doing business as, and as successor to **AMERICAN TALC COMPANY**, **METROPOLITAN TALC CO. INC.** and **CHARLES MATHIEU INC.** and **SIERRA TALC COMPANY** and **UNITED TALC COMPANY**);

**CYPRUS MINES CORPORATION**;

**DR. SCHOLLS LLC**;

**ESTÉE LAUDER, INC.**, a subsidiary of **THE ESTÉE LAUDER COMPANIES, INC.**;

**THE ESTÉE LAUDER COMPANIES, INC.** (sued individually and for **LEN-RON MANUFACTURING CO. INC.**);

**GLAXOSMITHKLINE LLC** (sued individually

and as successor-in-interest to BLOCK DRUG CORPORATION, successor-in-interest to THE GOLD BOND STERILIZING POWDER COMPANY a/k/a THE GOLD BOND COMPANY);

**HIMMEL MANAGEMENT CO. LLC** a/k/a HIMMEL GROUP formerly d/b/a MARTIN HIMMEL, INC. (sued individually and as successor-in-interest to BLOCK DRUG CORPORATION, successor-in-interest to THE GOLD BOND STERILIZING POWDER COMPANY a/k/a THE GOLD BOND COMPANY);

**HONEYWELL INTERNATIONAL, INC.** f/k/a ALLIED-SIGNAL, INC. (sued as successor-in-interest to BENDIX CORPORATION);

**MARY KAY INC.;**

**MAYBELLINE LLC;**

**MERCK & CO., INC.;**

**MORSE TEC LLC** f/k/a BORGWARNER MORSE TEC LLC (sued as successor-by-merger to BORG WARNER CORPORATION);

**NOXELL CORPORATION**, a subsidiary of COTY INC. and f/k/a NOXZEMA CHEMICAL COMPANY, for its CoverGirl line of products;

**PFIZER INC.;**

**PRESPERSE CORPORATION;**

**PRESPERSE INTERNATIONAL CORP.;**

**THE PROCTER & GAMBLE COMPANY** (sued individually and as successor-in-interest to NOXZEMA CHEMICAL COMPANY and its CoverGirl line of products);

**REVLON CONSUMER PRODUCTS**

**CORPORATION;**

**SCHOLLS WELLNESS COMPANY LLC;**

**SPECIALTY MINERALS INC.** (sued individually and as a subsidiary of MINERALS TECHNOLOGIES INC.);

**UNILEVER UNITED STATES, INC.** formerly d/b/a RIMMEL LONDON and for its Rimmel line of products;

**UNION CARBIDE CORPORATION;**

**WHITTAKER CLARK & DANIELS, INC.;**

**JOHN DOE CORPORATIONS 1-50**  
(fictitious);

Defendants.

**Whereas**, Plaintiffs filed a Complaint in the Superior Court of New Jersey, Law Division, Middlesex County (Docket No. MID-L-000022-21AS), on January 4, 2021;

**Whereas**, Plaintiffs personally served Defendant Brenntag Specialties, Inc., whose principal place of business is located in New Jersey, with a copy of the Summons and Complaint at 2:55 p.m. on January 4, 2021;

**Whereas**, on January 5, 2021, Defendant Revlon Consumer Products Corporation (“Revlon”) filed with this Court a Notice of Removal Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1442 and §1332;

**Whereas**, counsel for the Plaintiffs and counsel for Revlon have conferred and agree that this case should be forthwith remanded to the Superior Court of New Jersey, Law Division, Middlesex County;

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** on this 7TH day of January 2021, that Plaintiffs' Complaint be and is hereby remanded to the Superior Court of New Jersey, Law Division, Middlesex County; and it is further

**ORDERED** that a copy of this Order be served on all counsel of record within seven days.



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Hon. Brian Martinotti, U.S.D.J.

Agreed as to form and substance

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